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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : ASAC

DATE: 4/19/68

FROM : SAC (157-10673)

SUBJECT: MURKIN

This will record the fact that Mr. C. L. McGOWAN dscussed captioned case with me from 6 p.m. to approximately 7 p.m. on the evening of 4/18/68.

He pointed out it looked very much like the "wooden nickel" was on New Orleans. He pointed out that there was no information as to GALT's real identity and no information as to GALT's whereabouts beyond August, 1967 except information indicating that he took dancing lessons in New Orleans, La. during the latter part of 1964 and a statement that he had a 1962 expired Louisiana driver's license.

He instructed that all existing leads be handled immediately and in addition, instructed the following leads be handled:

1) They have noted in their investigation to date that GALT has not had any female associates. This raises the possibility of him being a homosexual, therefore, they want our homosexual sources contacted and his picture exhibited. (In view of information developed by Atlanta during early morning of 4/19/68, it is suggested this lead be expanded to include lesbians.)

2) Display GALT's photo in connection with all previously conducted waterfront leads (by this I mean barges, unions, maritime commission, seamen's halls, etc.) and to exhibit his picture in connection with any remaining leads in this area.

3) It appears rather certain that GALT is an assumed identity for an individual and the possibility comes to mind that he may have been in prison, released and at that time, for some reason, assumed a completely false identity, therefore, Bureau desires that all releasees from State Pen at Angola be checked by reviewing the releasee's background and photo to see if an identification can be effected. Mr. McGOWAN gave no time period to be covered in this check.

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therefore, I would suggest for a start that we begin with the releasees 1/1/64 forward. This period, of course, being adjusted as information and good judgment indicates in the future.